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SUBJECT: US-SOVIET CONVENTIONAL ARMS TALKS

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WE BRIEFED FOREIGN MINISTRY AMERICAS DIVISION CHIEF
NZE-OBAME AUGUST 30 ON THIRD ROUND CONVENTIONAL ARMS TALKS
PER REFTEL B. NZE-OBAME EXPRESSED APPRECIATION FOR BRIEFING
DURING WHICH HE TOOK NOTES TO PASS ALONG TO SECRETARY OF
STATE NGOMO-OBANG WHO HEADED GABONESE DELEGATION TO SSOD
AND WHO, ACCORDING NZE-OBAME, FOLLOWS DISARMAMENT ISSUES
WITHIN GOG. NZE-OBAME EXPRESSED HOPE FOR CONSULTATION PRIOR
TO DECEMBER TALKS AND BRIEFING ON RESULTS FOLLOWING THEM
HE REMARKED THAT DOCUMENTATION (IN FRENCH) WOULD BE
PARTICULARLY USEFUL. NZE-OBAME HAD NO SUBSTANTIVE COMMENTS
EXCEPT TO NOTE THAT THERE NO SIGNIFICANT MOVEMENT WITHIN
OAU TO EXERCISE SELF RESTRAINT ON ARMS ACQUISITIONS AND
THAT HE DOUBTED LIKELIHOOD OF SUCH MOVEMENT IN NEAR FUTURE. TIENKEN

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